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Serial No.: 09/926,531

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For: VERTICAL ELECTRICAL INTERCONNECTIONS IN A STACK

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS  
UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Attention: APPLICATION BRANCH  
MISSING REQUIREMENTS OF APPLICATION

Sir:

A Notification of Missing Requirements, dated January 2, 2002, indicated that the Declaration was not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68 in the above-captioned application. A telephone communication on January 28, 2002, from Ms. Donna Green in the PCT Branch indicated that PTO records show the Declaration was unsigned.

However, Applicant respectfully submits that a properly signed and dated Declaration was filed on November 15, 2001. A copy of the originally filed Declaration is attached hereto, along with a copy of the date-stamped postcard evidencing receipt of this document on November 15, 2001.

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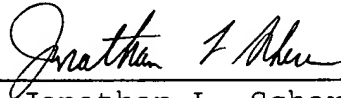
In light of the fact that the Declaration was submitted timely and in accordance with 37 CFR 1.66 and 37 CFF 1.68, no \$130 surcharge for the late filing fee is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to debit or credit any fees set forth in §1.16 or §1.17 to Deposit Account No. 06-1358 as needed in order to effect proper filing of the application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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The following has been received in the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office on the date stamped hereon:

- ☒ Preliminary Amendment to Lessen Fees
- ☒ International Search Report (210)
- ☒ Request (101)
- ☒ First Page of Publ.
- ☒ 14 pg. Specif. with 7 claims
- ☒ 16 Sheets of Drawings
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☒ Assignment document and cover sheet

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